AFWAY SAN Notice Law & DoD Policy on Procurement for Data Servers & Centers

In accordance of National Defense Authorization Act (NDAA) for Fiscal Year 2012 and Air Force Chief Information Officer (CIO) Memorandum dated 26 June 2012 Military Departments and the heads of the Defense Agencies were asked to submit Performance Plans to the DoD Chief Information Officer for the obligation of funds for data servers and centers. Components who have not submitted their Performance Plans prior to 1 May 2012 shall not obligate funds for data server farms, data centers, or information technology designated for those areas unless approved by the CIO of the DoD or the CIO of a component of the Department to whom the CIO of the Department has specifically delegated such approval authority.

Any DoD Component seeking to obligate funds for data servers or data centers must obtain prior approval from the DoD CIO by submitting a request for approval to obligate funds for data servers and centers. The request must be signed by the Component CIO and include a completed request for the Authorization of Funds for Data Centers and Data Server Farms in accordance with NDAA FY12 Section 2867. Information sheet attached to AF CIO Memo dated 26 June 2012. Components shall not obligate funds until the requests have been approved.

Prior to submitting a NETCENTS or NETCENTS-2 solicitation for data server farms, data centers, or information technology designated in support of those areas ensure that you are compliant with NDAA for FY12 and AF CIO Memo as stated above.

A copy of the NDAA for FY12 and AF CIO Memo dated 26 June 2012 can be found on the NETCENTS website (http://www.netcents.af.mil) in the "NETCENTS NEWS" folder. Copies of the NETCENTS contract extension can also be obtained from the site. Direct questions to NETCENTS Customer Support at (334) 416-5070, Option 1, or DSN 596-5070, or e-mail netcents@gunter.af.mil.

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